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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Kenneth I. Lipow  
Serial No.: 10/738,359  
Filed: December 17, 2003  
Attorney Docket No.: NRB-101-USC1 (501328.20101)  
For: Surgical Robot and Robotic Controller

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**PETITION FOR ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the time for Amendment and Response to the Office Action mailed March 13, 2009 to which a shortened statutory response period expired until June 13, 2009. The present Response is being filed on September 11, 2009 prior to the expiration of the third month following the shortened statutory response period. A credit card payment form authorizing the amount of \$555.00 is enclosed herewith for the required fee.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 18-0586.

**EXPRESS MAIL CERTIFICATE (37 CFR 1.10)**

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I hereby certify that this paper, and the papers and/or fees referred to herein as transmitted, submitted or enclosed, are being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR § 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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